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**ENCOURAGING PROGRESS IN SPITE OF REVOLUTION, RIOT, AND DISORDER**

senger," has been published for several years in Petrograd. When I arrived it had a circulation of about 8,000. It has now increased to 20,000 and at Christmas we sold 25,000. We could print and sell many more, were it not for the paper shortage, for there is a brisk demand for "The Messenger." It is a blessed sight to see our workers going all over the city with it, selling it on

### Converted Through 'War Cry'

"We send thousands outside the city also and many people have got converted through reading the book of good insurance. In Odessa a man received a copy of the paper, and through reading it was brought into the light of Salvation. He wrote to Headquarters indicating his desire to become a Salvationist, and after satisfying ourselves that he fully understood the step he was about to take, he was duly enrolled by mail. He ordered a copy of the book, and was receiving it to 2,000, then to 3,000, and finally to 4,000. In the meantime he held meetings at which numbers got saved, and Odessa was constituted an Outpost Corps. Feeling that the work was getting beyond his capabilities, this command was turned to Petropavlovsk so that he could receive further instruction as to Salvation Army doctrines and methods.

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"Should you not consecrate your life to Officership?" I asked him one day.

"Yes, I will," was the instant reply.

"How is that you answered so readily?" I asked; "I thought that you would require time to consider so momentous a decision?"

"It is this way," he replied. "Last night I went home feeling very weary. I fell into a sound sleep during which I had a wonderful vision. I saw crowds of people and they all seemed to be longing for the light. I awoke and was restless, pondering over the vision. At length I rose and knelt to pray. 'Oh, God,' I prayed, 'I don't know what I ought to do, but I am going to see the Commissioner in the morning, and if he says anything to me about becoming an Officer, I will take it as a sign that it is Thy

### Trouble at Odessa

"This comrade went back to Odessa. Then came the troubles there, ending in the Germans occupying the city. Cut off from all communication with the north, he could not get his beloved 'War Cry'. Not to be daunted, however, he bought a supply of paper and had three thousand copies printed at his own expense. A law was then passed that no one but a native of the Ukraine could stay in Odessa, so our comrade and his wife had to leave the city. They are now Cadets in the Training College at Petrograd—a fine couple who will make efficient and devoted Officers."

### Twenty Workers Deducted

"There is a good story now of what has been accomplished through 'The War Cry.' Before leaving the section of literature I might say that we had 'Broken Earthenware' and 'The Life of Mrs. Booth' translated into Russian and several thousand copies printed. Our stock has now been exhausted, and we cannot print any more owing to the paper shortage. Literature, we feel, is going to be a valuable factor in the advance of The Salvation Army in Russia."

"How do Russian statesmen regard The Army? Have you ever sought interviews with them—Kerensky, for instance—did you meet him?"

### Clear of Political Parties

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"I have had no opportunity of finding out how the Russian statesmen regard the Army. It has been our policy to steer clear of every political party. A constant receipt of telegrams gave me letters of Introduction to Kerensky and other members of the Cabinet, but an Inner voice told me not to see them. I am very glad now that I didn't, for it might have appeared to have identified the Army with that party and the Bolsheviks would probably have made short work of us. So I consider that in this matter I was Divinely guided, for no one foresaw the quiet overthrow of Kerensky."

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# WITH OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS IN CAMP AND AT THE FRONT.

## HOME IN FRANCE

Staff-Captain Mary Booth Describes Her Quarters

Scenes in Hospital—Presents for Home—A Quiet Room and Place to Pray

People often ask me where I live (writes Staff-Captain Mary Booth in the British "War Cry") and where I work. Well, not exactly in the trenches, I am sorry to say. How I wish it were, as I would gladly share any dangers with our brave men. Home for me out here now consists of two or three rooms over an old French curiosity shop. It is a shop, although I have never seen any one buy anything; but there they stand, the same mysterious china dogs, white elephants, and odd prints!

Five minutes' walk from this place is my office. The only door opens right into the yard, beautiful in summer, but trying in winter, for no one can come in without the papers blowing about. The rest of the building has been fitted up for the men. We are never far away from them! It is situated next door to one of our largest hospitals, and quite close to many others. In between my work I often peep in; and they make a pretty picture, these boys in blue, all either wounded or sick, yet wonderfully bright and happy. Some in the quiet room reading, or generally writing home. Some gather round the piano, singing, etc. Green curtains and flags and suitable texts, such as, "On whom dost thou trust?—Christ never fails"—make the place bright and attractive.

## Tea for the Boys

We are not allowed to sell refreshments here, but every evening the boys have a cup of tea. There is a library, with a counter, and a few little knick-knacks, silk scarves, pretty handkerchiefs, cards, etc., to send home to mothers, wives, and sweethearts. The men have no brown paper and string, so we take the addresses and send them off. One man was disappointed because he could find nothing suitable for his little boy of two and a half years' old, but our Officers soon settled the difficulty by promising to buy something for little Johnny, who by now is quite happy with a real French mug, sent all the way from France by Daddy.

Then there is a quiet room and a place to pray, and above all, motherly advice is given, for a kind word and a smile are never too much trouble for Mrs. Staff-Captain Booth, the Officer in charge. She herself has been in the trenches. Many hours are spent in listening to the boys, who are so glad to find some one to sympathize with them in their little troubles. We have had some good cases of conversion here; just lately, among them a man who described himself as one of the worst scoundrels in France. He had broken his heart to the Lord, and is doing well.

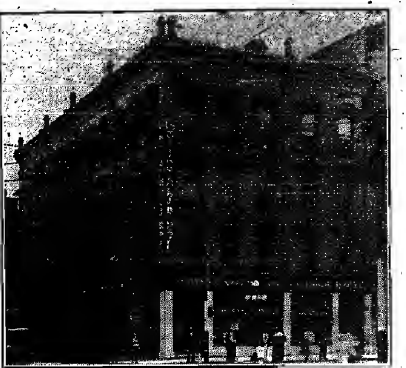
## NOTICE TO READERS

The Editor will be glad to receive letters from soldiers and sailors, containing references to their own Army Work, Huts, or Hostels, or to the work of the Salvation Army, or giving personal testimony. Address, The Editor, "War Cry," Albert Street, Toronto.

## TWO STRIKING INCIDENTS

"We Want to Surrender, Sir"—and "The Trumpet Call Obedient"

When Brigadier Greenwood was at Bramshott 11. Hutment recently a meeting was held for service



The Toronto Soldiers' Hostel

Meeting a much-late class, this one institution is frequently crowded, but any soldier or returned man who needs a place at which to stay when in the city should inquire here. It is a warm room cannot be made for "less money." It is in King Street, corner of Church. Beds and meals, also free facilities for writing are provided.

men. A helpful time was experienced. The gathering was concluded at 8.15, and for about an hour a busy time was experienced serving the men. After lending a hand, the Brigadier was about to make his way to our other Hut nearby, when two Canadian "waylaid" him. "Beg pardon, sir," said one, "but I think I knew your son: Dave. I was with him in the C.M.E., and was ed, there being about a eighty men wounded when he was made a prisoner." Naturally enough the Brigadier was glad to chat with the men and pick up a few precious fragments of information about one of his boys who are in the King's service. After wishing them God's blessing the Brigadier prepared to depart, but the men still lingered.

"That was not the only thing we came to you for," said one; "can you help us?" "What can I do for you?" "We want to surrender, sir." "At the moment the Brigadier thought they might be deserters who, having been in the Salvation Army meeting, wished to give themselves up to the authorities." "Well, don't you see, we have some good cases of conversion here; just lately, among them a man who described himself as one of the worst scoundrels in France. He had broken his heart to the Lord, and is doing well."

Any one who knows Brigadier Greenwood will know what happened. Full of rejoicing, he said: "Well, don't you see, we have some good cases of conversion here; just lately, among them a man who described himself as one of the worst scoundrels in France. He had broken his heart to the Lord, and is doing well."

We were singing that fine old Salvation song, so dear to the hearts of Leaguers:—  
"Stand up, stand up for Jesus,  
There was a stirrings and force

## WARMLY WELCOMED

A Canadian Private's Testimony Proud of Naval and Military League Since War

We have received an interesting letter from Private Widdison, formerly of Lindsay, who is now serving in France. He says:—  
"Just a line to thank you for 'The War Cry.' I very much appreciate me being in England first a part of our battalion had six days leave. I went to Norwich; on the Sunday morning, being in the city, I went to the Hollis meeting to the N. I. Chads, where my sister had been a Soldier some years ago before becoming an Officer. A Soldier of the Corps who knew me called me near the front and I thoroughly enjoyed the meeting, and made it my duty to give my testimony.

"To my great pleasure it was announced that the next night would be a Paganite would speak. I was there, and when the Colonel spotted me he called, 'Come on, Canadian! Onto the platform with you!' And do you know, he made me sing one verse with him of 'Sunshine on the hills.' Then he discovered another Canadian Salvationist. As I knew a singer, you can see he only needed one verse as a duet.

"I can still say that although there are shadows in the valley, there is sunshine on the hills. The Pastor said: 'I will look unto the hills whence cometh my help.' Our chaplain took that for his text at church parade two weeks ago.

"We are at present on a hill and pretty secure, but with plenty of mud about, as we are getting bits of rain this week. I am keeping well covered. God is just the same here in Canada. Am I not the old flag flying. I am proud to be allowed to wear on my tunic the small shield given to me by Staff-Captain Mary Booth last October, at a meeting camp. Shortly before meeting the Staff-Captain I had joined The Salvation Army Naval and Military League.

"The lad sleeping on my left had a look at 'The War Cry' this evening; he reads my Testament too. Two of the boys asked if I had a complete Bible—I must get one from Blighty soon."

## MEMORIES OF HOME

In the highest interests of the interned soldiers, our Swiss Officers, the Sisters of the Swiss League, and devotion. There the British fighting man may not only see the Army flag, but the Army drum. Memories of the day of the home, but, if he desires, can receive instruction in the French language by Swiss volunteers, teachers.

## CHICAGO FIRM'S OFFER

"Two 'doughnut' girls will be sent to the front by The Salvation Army," says the Chicago "Herald" and Examiner.  
"Armour and Company yesterday offered to pay all expenses and coining their salaries during their absence, and all present felt the patriotic service. 'Old enough to be serious,' and an expert cook, the firm in announcing the competition."

# ALL UNDER THE BLOOD & FIRE FLAG

## INDIA

WOMAN'S THOROUGH TURNING FROM IDOLATRY HER SELF-SACRIFICE

One of the recent converts in the Tondal Division of the Madras and Tondal Territory, India, is a woman who held out for years against being a Christian. As she felt she could not turn out of her house the family god, which had been there as long as she could remember.

A few months ago, however, she boldly took her stand for Christ, and invited the Officer who had led the meeting to come and take the deity away from the house.

This caused a great sensation among the remaining Hindus, who said, 'Surely the work of the gods will fall upon her.' They tried to persuade her to leave the emblems, but she said, 'No, they are all gone now I have accepted Christ as my Saviour.' So the Officer removed them every one and prayed for God's blessing on the woman and her household.

On the occasion of a visit by Brigadier Tuley (Anand Singh), the woman was present in the meeting, and when he asked for gifts to be brought, this convert was the first to come forward, bringing what was to her a big gift. The Brigadier asked her to give her testimony and this is what she said:—  
"I cannot speak many words, but one thing I must say—when the emblems of Hindu worship were taken from my house my family and my neighbours scolded me; they said I would surely have trouble; but, instead, I have had good fortune. God has blessed me, and He gives me peace in my heart, and I live this money out of love for what He has done for me." This woman earns a very small sum per day getting a living by gathering cow-dung and making it into cakes for fuel.

## KOREA

SEASONS OF BLESSING—A NUMBER OF CONVERSIONS

Colonel French, the Territorial Commander in Korea, has completed very successful Field Officers', Local Officers', and Corps Cadets' Councils at Yoo Koo and Chun Ju. At Yoo Koo there was outpouring of the Spirit of God, and at the final meeting thirty-five men and women walked out and knelt in dedication more fully to God and The Army.

It was quite a "smash-up," and each one of them testified to the moving of the Holy Ghost. It was a wonderful sight, and much good to get their requirements met, as they had cast off suits, which once adorned pompous, soldiers, policemen, and other men in fancy every kind imaginable, and right proud wearers were of them.

Then the tribes represented were too many for mention. Zulus, Masatus, Shanganas, Swazis, etc., etc. One noticed the industry of some. There were sewing machines (Singer's) at that time, and there were raw natives busy at the mending of their wardrobes; putting red patches in blue trousers, blue patches in white trousers.

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## IN A SOUTH AFRICAN COMPOUND

How The Army is Leading the Natives to God and Helping to Solve a Difficult Problem

THE following interesting description of a Native Compound in the Rand mining district has been sent to us by Lieut.-Colonel Fisher (Chief Secretary for South Africa). The occasion was a visit to the Langhaaghe Native Corps by Commissioner Eadie.

The Compound in question (writes



Native Soldiers and Converts at Roopeport, Johannesburg

the Colonel) is a large one, accommodating something like five thousand natives, who are all engaged on the Crown Deep Mine. When you get off the street car, you are faced with something that looks like a square of blank walls, some twelve feet high, with little air slits running around the top. One can hardly realize that inside these squares, which are attached to every mine on the Rand, there are thousands of human beings (something like two hundred and fifty thousand along the Reef alone). You walk around, and find the narrow entrance to the Compound, and immediately inside you find a veritable beehive of life.

## Visiting Day

Sunday is visiting day, and the only chance these natives have of seeing each other for any length of time, so Sunday is a day of days.

The meeting was to be held in a corner of the Compound. On the way thither one could not help but notice the varied kinds of boys, and the various colours of clothing worn. The costumes of some could have been put in one's waistcoat. Others wore blankets wrapped around, seemed as if they wanted to live as near Nature as possible. Some were in the latest style of dress, up-to-date suits, footwear and headgear. Others seemed as if they must have been living in every second-hand shop in Johannesburg at that time, in fancy every kind imaginable, and right proud wearers were of them.

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stirring for all they were worth, to get the required nicety to the meal. Each boiler would contain something like one hundred pounds of meal; perhaps more.

One also saw a number of boys painted all the colours of the rainbow, carrying staffs, ribbons, etc., apparently off for a war dance in

they got amongst the crowds of natives and earnestly pleaded with them. The surrendering number, all were individually made to realize their condition as sinners and the presence of a forgiving Saviour. All were also led to pray for themselves. Think God for the consecrated Officers whose hearts are overflowing with love for the natives of this and other countries. Of such is Brigadier Clark, who has now spent thirty-four years in this warfare.

In conclusion, let me say that I was in conversation with a Compound manager here some time ago, and he paid a splendid tribute to the spiritual worth of our dear native comrades. In his Compound we have a small Corps, and to use his own words, the influence of the faithful living of our Soldiers have been such that beer drinking has decreased seventy-five per cent., whilst fighting and crime are almost unknown, and he says it's all the result of our Corps being there.

## SWITZERLAND

SUMMER OPEN-AIRS IN PROGRESS—THE AUTHORITIES SOLICIT OFFICERS' ASSISTANCE

In all our Swiss Corps the summer open-air work has begun. The open spaces of the cities, the shores of the lake, the mountains and distant villages receive the visits of the Salvationists. Every Sunday our Officers walk for many hours, talking three, four, or five meetings. They feel that for the Salvation War is indeed touching. Often, between or after these meetings, they visit the hotels with "War Cry."

We have opened a Corps for the French work in Biel (fourth Brigadier Mayor), and this promises well for the future. Souls are already coming to God.

The authorities have asked the Captain to occupy herself with women drunkards, and have given her permission to visit the prisons.

## HOLLAND

ASCENSION DAY CAMPAIGNS A SUCCESS—SPLENDID WORK IS CARRIED ON AMONGST BELGIANS

Ascension Day Campaigns in Holland brought together large crowds of people in various parts of the country. A Commissioner, who conducted a great meeting in the Congress Hall, Amsterdam, the building being packed, and a meeting of the Cadets were also publicly welcomed.

Open-air demonstrations, with a crowd of Salvationists from Groningen and surrounding Corps, took place at Delfzijl and Appingedam, and most powerful meetings were held. A united meeting at Groningen with a very successful evening.

Our work amongst the Belgians, commenced at Hailu is proving very successful. A week or two ago the Commissioner enrolled a body of fifteen of these men as Soldiers at Hailu, and appointed two of the number as Local Officers. Ten souls sought Salvation in the same meeting.

# Latest Despatches From The Firing Line

## FAREWELLS AND WELCOMES

**Creates Much Interest at Vancouver**  
**Brigadier McLean Presides**  
**at United Meeting to Meet**  
**Incoming Officers**

Three farewells and two welcomes in less than fourteen days at the Vancouver I. Corps surely must come pretty near constituting a record, even in these record-breaking days.

First in order was Staff-Captain and Mrs. George Smith, who, for four years, have done good work in this Division. They led the meetings all day Sunday, July 21st. The Staff-Captain was in good form and his talks were greatly appreciated.

The following Sunday (July 28th) Commandant and Mrs. Jaynes farewelled after being nearly three years in command of the Corps. During those three years the Commandant has been out and in amongst us, his sunny smile doing much to brighten and cheer, strengthen and console us. Whilst Mrs. Jaynes' attitude and bearing seemed always to be a living exposition of the text, "Be quietness and confidence shall be your strength."

The afternoon meeting was handed over to Commandant and Mrs. Britton, who farewelled and have left this Division. The Commandant's ray style and Mrs. Britton's stirring eloquence will be missed. No. 1, where they were frequent and always welcome visitors.

On the following Monday a united farewell gathering presided over by Brigadier and Mrs. McLean, was held, when each of the Officers leaving the city gave short addresses. Staff-Captain and Mrs. Smith, who go to Alberta; Commandant and Mrs. Jaynes, to Victoria; and Commandant and Mrs. Britton, to Winnipeg, were by representative speakers, assured that their stay on the coast had been profitable, and that they carried them the good wishes of their comrades in their new appointments.

On Friday, Aug. 2nd, Brigadier and Mrs. McLean again presided over a united meeting, but this time it took the form of a hearty welcome to Commandant and Mrs. J. Zinkirk, who have come to take the position vacated by Staff-Captain and Mrs. Smith; and also to our new Corps Officers, Adjutant and Mrs. Weir.

After different speakers, representing the various sections of Soldiers, had assured the incoming Officers of their loyal and hearty support in the work that lies before them, the four Officers concerned each gave addresses which created a very favourable impression. The part, of course, being interspersed by music and song led on by Commandant and Mrs. Britton. Brigadier McLean summed up by saying that he personally was very glad to welcome the new Officers, and he felt sure that as in other parts of Canada, they would be able to co-operate in the good work of The Salvation Army.—G. A.

## FOUR SOULS SEEK PARDON

At Tweed on Sunday, Aug. 11th, four young men gave for their sins and found victory through the blood. This was the farewell our Captain S. C. Harrison, who we regret to lose. God bless him in his new field of labour.

On Tuesday at our prayer meeting one later was enrolled as a Soldier of the Cross. Then about forty comrades and friends set down to a farewell repast.

## VISITING COMRADES

**Take Active Part in Week-end Meetings at Lethbridge**

God is with us at Lethbridge and we have seasons of spiritual blessings in all meetings. On Sunday, Aug. 4th, thirty-six comrades were in the march. The afternoon meeting was led by Sergeant-Major Tullock and visiting Soldiers from Calgary, Great Falls, U.S., and Saskatoon. The jail service was conducted by Adjutant Hamilton, assisted by Sister Roberts (Calgary).

Crowds were attracted to the Citadel at night by the march of fifty comrades. The Salvation meeting was led by Adjutant and Mrs. Hamilton, assisted by Brother and Sister Wallace and Daughter (Saskatoon), also Sister Kathleen, Rippen (Calgary), Sisters Hardy and Hylop and Candidate Lucy Hardy sang and Mrs. Adjutant Hamilton gave an inspiring address. There was great rejoicing over two souls for Salvation. A hearty welcome was given to Brother and Sister Blenkhorn (Charlottetown, P.E.I.), many comrades being delighted to meet Sister Blenkhorn, as she was stationed at Lethbridge twelve years ago as Captain Moore—H. D.

## GOT FIRST PRIZE

**For the Best-kept Tent in Camp**

We have welcomed our new Officers, Captain Coway and Lieutenant Hussey, at Hamilton IV. We pray that their stay may be long with us. The Life-Saving Guards have arrived home from Camp after two weeks there. They enjoyed every minute of it. The Hamilton IV, (Charlottetown, P.E.I.), many comrades being delighted to meet Sister Blenkhorn, as she was stationed at Lethbridge twelve years ago as Captain Moore—H. D.

## PORT FRANCIS

After farewelling Captain and Mrs. Norberg and little one, we had the pleasure of welcoming Captain E. Sinclair, who has come all the way from Medicine Hat. Already we have had two Sundays with him and last Sunday we had two souls at the Mercy Seat—M. B.



Well-known Officers of Newfoundland  
 Ensign and Mrs. Siskland and family (Corps Officers of Portmores) and  
 Ensign Anshy (School Teacher)

## WYCHWOOD I. S. GUARDS

**Render Musical Programme to the Soldiers Boys and Distribute Fruit and Flowers at Devilsville Hospital**

The Life-Saving Guards of Wychwood, with Guard Leader Sibley and Chaplain Cook, accompanied by the Corps Officers, Ensign and Mrs. Snowden, visited the Devilsville Hospital on Saturday afternoon and rendered a helpful programme of songs, musical duets, recitations, etc., in the various wards; also distributed fruit, flowers, and chocolate to the returned men. The nursing staff and men were most appreciative and enjoyed the helpful talks of Ensign and Mrs. Snowden.

The week-end meetings were much blessed and assisted by "Red" particularly the Holiness Service, when Ensign Snowden gave a helpful address. Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Smeaton took part in this service. Two red-hot open-air meetings were conducted in the afternoon by Corps Sergeant-Major Goodenough and Young People's Sergeant-Major Dean.

At night quite a stir was made when the open-air was announced by breaking up into battles and bombarding the street. Inside we had the joy of seeing two backsliders return to God.

## PICTOU COUNTY CORPS

A budget of news concerning the Pictou County Corps is contained in a running report which has reached us from Correspondent W. R. Keltick, of Stellarton. We regret we have not space to print it at tent.

Ensign and Mrs. Laing have had a good start at New Glasgow, and their music and singing are attracting attention. Ensign Mercer (from London) and Lieutenant Frost have been welcomed to Waverley. Captain Hickling and Lieutenant Richardson are making a drive on the devil and sin at Trenton. In Pictou Town, Lieutenant Bowring, "six feet of Salvation," is now at the helm, while Lieutenant Robinson at Stellarton "into the conflict of the Lord with might and main doth go." God bless them all!

Brigadier and Mrs. Adby conducted the morning meeting at West Toronto on Sunday, Aug. 16th. At night the Brigadier was at Lisgar Street, and one soul sought the Saviour.

## GOOD TIMES AT GODERICH

**Visit of Young People's Sergeant-Major Dean Created Much Interest**

We have been having good meetings at Goderich during the past month. To God be the glory! On the week-end of July 17th and 18th we had with us Young People's Sergeant-Major Dean and family of Wychwood. The Sergeant-Major is a real "live wire" and gave some very helpful talks. In the Holiness meeting one backslider came back to God, and is still giving bright testimony.

We had a special meeting on Friday, 12th, in which Brother Dean gave a brief account of his life, which proved very interesting to the 120 persons present; he having been in the siege of Ladysmith during the Boer war, in ponds on land and sea. The sign-boards, which could be seen at different street corners, were very conspicuous in the glaring announcements "Bible exposure of the biggest scoundrel on earth." We were glad to note that during all our comrades' remarks he drew beautiful spiritual lessons from the happenings referred to.

Last Sunday's meetings were led on by our Corps Officers, Captain and Mrs. Fox. In the evening the Captain spoke from the words, "Be ye also ready," and one sinner rendered. On Monday night the comrades testified of feeling the power lighter. Hallelujah—L. C.

## ONE SOUL AT EDMONTON

On July 28th-29th we had with us at Edmonton H. J. Caplan and J. K. Cox from Territorial Headquarters, Winnipeg; Lieutenant Carrie, from MacLeod, accompanied them. A young open-air was held on Saturday evening. God came very near to us in the Holiness meeting. The Captain spoke on the 28th Psalm. He also taught us a new hymn. In the afternoon the Captain spoke to the Juniors, while Mrs. Cox and Lieutenant Currie visited the Dispensary, where several children sought Christ.

A good crowd gathered at night. Mrs. Cox spoke, and Lieutenant Currie sang several solos. We had the joy of seeing a backslider returning to the Saviour—D. M.

## PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE

The week-end meetings at Portage la Prairie of August 10th-11th, were splendid. On Saturday evening open-air were held, and many people who came in from the rural districts appreciated the singing and preaching. Sunday was good. From 9 a.m. at the Provincial Jail the singing of The Army Doxology. In the evening a wonderful spiritual power was present, and, hear of it, one soul came forward and afterward testified to accepting Jesus as her Saviour. Hallelujah—D. B.

## SPECIAL VISITS SETTLER

On Sunday, Aug. 10th, we were pleased to have Captain T. Mundy (Divisional Headquarters) with us at Settler. The meetings were very successful, and one soul was added. During the second week of August fifty women over sixty years of age, were taken to the camp.

## ACROSS THE BORDER

**War Service Fund Campaign Going Well in Chicago**  
**Home League Hosts for**  
**Training Camps**

**Outings for Poor Mothers and Children**

Commissioner Estlin recently visited New York in connection with the War Service Fund Campaign. He met with Commander Eva Booth on certain important details with reference to the War Work. The Commissioner brought favourable reports concerning the War Service Fund Campaign in Chicago. A very influential committee has been organized, and the men and women composing it are working hard to reach the target set. He is most hopeful of a splendid total.

Colonels Peart and Danson recently visited Washington on behalf of Salvation Army War Service men.

A long interview was had with Mr. Raymond Fosdick, who has just returned from the French front and who expressed his personal gratification at the work which our people are doing. He said that the Salvation Army had made a splendid impression among the American troops and from his own observations knew that it was most popular with the men on the firing line.

## Hut at Camp Grant

Commissioner Estlin recently dedicated an Army Hut at Camp Grant, Illinois. The occasion was graced by Major General Martin, who has command of over 50,000 troops located here, and his immediate staff. The Commissioner gave a forceful address, telling of The Army's work here and abroad among the troops of the allied nations. In conclusion he dedicated the building to the service of Uncle Sam's boys.

The Army Hut at Camp Lister, Washington, was opened recently by Governor Lister. Lieut.-Colonel Best gave a brief review of the war activities of The Salvation Army and referred to the building—its objects and facilities.

Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Bovill reports good progress on the financial campaign on behalf of the Brooklyn Nursery and Children's Hospital. The target of \$35,000 has been almost reached, and the Colonel is confidently expecting the full total.

The Hospital has, through the campaign, received a great deal of very useful advertising, so that an unprecedented number of visitors have come to the Home during the last few days. Most of these visitors have expressed themselves as greatly amazed that such a splendid institution has existed in the city without their having known it. The city authorities, after having examined very minutely every detail of the Home, have highly commended the Salvation Army and have granted the institution as a.

A big outing for fifteen hundred poor mothers and children was recently arranged by Brigadier and Mrs. E. A. of Baltimore. A steamer was chartered for a trip to Talbot Beach, and the outing was a great success.

Brigadier Stidwell and her assistants are busy at Glen Ellyn with the Post-people who go there week by week. During the second week of August fifty women over sixty years of age, were taken to the camp.

## HOME LEAGUE NOTES

On Wednesday night at the home of Sergeant-Major Tullock, Lethbridge, Alta., a good crowd of comrades and friends met for the Home League Social. It was a success.

On July 27th the St. James (Winnipeg) V. Home League met for their final meeting with the far-well-known Corps Officers, Adjutant and Mrs. Weir, who have gone to



For Front-line Soldiers

This excellent shipment of soap was received last week by Mrs. Commissioner Richards from the Owen Sound Home League. It is being sent on at once to the front. The Home League, having been in Canada West, ask all Home Leagues to continue, and, if possible, increase, the supply of soap for the boys "over there." Chaplain-Captain Carroll is the distributing agent for the Western Territory.

## For Front-line Soldiers

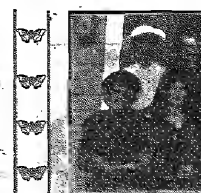
financially, the proceeds being to get wool and other things to make up for the boys overseas, and it was also evident that every one, both old and young, enjoyed themselves to their heart's content. Refreshments were provided and the Bandmen, under the leadership of Brother E. J. Tidner, gave several selections.

One of the pleasant events of the evening was the welcome of Adjutant and Mrs. Hamilton and comrades of the Corps to Sister G. Slarkes, Laurie Slarkes, and Stanley Slarkes, upon their return home after two years' visit to Milton, Kent, England, their old home.

Much credit is due to Mrs. Adjutant Hamilton, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Tullock, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Redshaw and Mrs. Mundy for their work in connection with the gathering. The Home League has been a valuable assistance to the Corps financially.—H. D.

## A SAILOR BOY

Immediately succeeding the Zeebrugge affair there arrived at the home of a family the body of a beloved son fallen in the action. In arranging the funeral solemnly suggested that perhaps the boy had had some religious leanings, and it was



Mrs. Adjutant Weir, Secretary Mrs. Hooking, Treasurer Mrs. Helms, and some Members of the St. James (Winnipeg) Home League

## LOST ALL BY FIRE

**Salvationist Returned Soldier Has to Make Another New Start**

To have lost everything they owned, even to the clothes on their backs, was the sad misfortune of Corporal William Howitt, who, as a result of being discharged after three years' service overseas with the A.S.C., and his wife and five children, when the old home at Fove Union, where they had rented for the purpose of chicken-raising, was gutted by fire recently.

They had sold their little home on Rhodes Avenue, Toronto, in order to get into the country, as the father and twelve-year-old boy were very frail. Every cent, with the exception of about \$75, was invested in the new venture, and even this was lost in the fire.

Some forty-five chickens were purchased as a start, and it was intended to increase this number week by week, but early on the Sunday morning the family was awakened by the engine of a passing train, who unthinkingly smoke issuing from the house. Corporal and Mrs. Howitt succeeded in getting the household effects out of the burning building, but with the exception of a bureau, nothing else was saved. Linen and clothing valued at \$300 were destroyed.

It is supposed that chicken thefts caused the fire, because of the fact that of the forty-five chickens in the coop the carcasses of only five could be found after the fire.

The Corporal and Mrs. Howitt, at Salvationist, having been moved to the Riverside Corps before moving out to Port Union. We are pleased to be able to say that when our comrades made known his case to Brigadier Fraser, it was found possible to fit him and his family out with clothing and many articles of furniture from the Toronto Industrial Store. A neighbour (Mrs. Patterson) is giving them the use of a house rent free and they are helping by making another start. The occurrence is all the more regrettable because Brother Howitt is very sadly handicapped by muscular rheumatism, which prevents his doing hard or continuous work.

## HEALING TEARS

**A Rescue Story from Switzerland**

I was obtaining information on the methods of The Salvation Army and spent a night in a Home for Women at . Retiring early, the house was absolutely still, for nearly every one was at the meeting. But soon I heard deep, stifled sobs.

"Some one is crying bitterly in one of the rooms," I said to the Officer, who came to see if I had all I required. "It is extraordinary in an Army Home, where I have never heard anything but joyful songs." "Yes," said the Officer, "it is a poor girl who has just come to us. She wants to give up the terrible life; but it is Saturday evening, and her sinful friends outside are drinking and amusing themselves. She has left everything in order to begin a new life; she does not know as well yet; she does not realize how much we love her; she only feels lonely and desolate. I have been with her, but she desires to be left alone. Let us pray for her. God is there to console her, and we are here to help her."

For hours the sobs continued, profound and deep—tears of the heart. Occasionally the murmur of a gentle voice—then a pause—then more sobs. At length all was quiet. They told me afterwards that she became the happiest girl in the house—Swiss "War Cry."





**THE LONDON (ENG.)  
STOCK EXCHANGE**

heavily through others, and thus amassed quite a large sum before the real truth became known.



## OLD SONG EXCHANGE

NEVER ENTERTAIN A DOUBT  
 "I'm a scab of a month or more when a  
 never once toward my door,  
 For I heard my comrades all double  
 all in league with hell,  
 So the gall I drank as I grew both deep  
 and wide.  
 But about a day I forgot to watch  
 and pray.  
 Their Master Doubt came knocking at  
 my door,  
 He was so polite and civil; this thought  
 I'm not the devil.  
 So I simply asked him just to stop  
 inside."

GEORGE  
 Never entertain a doubt, look the door and  
 "Keep him out."  
 He's a wolf about the dress like a  
 lion.  
 Don't forget to watch and pray, then  
 you'll keep the double away.  
 And upset your soul they never, never  
 can.

Oh, he hardly had got there, set himself  
 upon his chair.  
 When I there walked a dozen doubts  
 in.  
 For I found, unseen by me, they had  
 looked the door.  
 "Two the her of faith that should have  
 looked the door."  
 With them came that subtle thief—  
 Doubt, a molley crew, my heart began  
 to run.  
 For they ransacked all the house—I was  
 What to say or do I really could not  
 find.

First the fire of holy zeal that upon my  
 heart burns still.  
 Out unbelieved were brought and put it  
 out.  
 Little plant so frail, blooming in the  
 window there.  
 Sweet Christ of mine crushed and  
 smothered out.

Then my couch of rest, peace, they brought  
 and said to me:  
 "There are no more confidence, by the  
 way."  
 For the life we must about out, the  
 "destruction to a doubt."  
 So they about the light, and darkness  
 reigns within.

Landed in this awful fix, little broken  
 with their truth.  
 I thought about my Father's tele-  
 phone.  
 So upon my knees I got, my hand  
 up.  
 Quick as lightning came the answer:  
 "Little child, don't you know I am here."  
 When that telephone did ring it was like  
 a magic door.  
 For those doubts they scattered out  
 in my Father came that night, and life  
 soon set things all right.  
 And since then I've never entertained  
 a doubt.  
 —Sent by E. M. McPherson (Gloucester Bk.).

I'LL FOLLOW THEE  
 I heard a voice, so softly calling:  
 "Take up thy cross and follow Me."  
 A trumpet on my heart was falling.  
 A living cross this was to be.  
 I struggled on, I struggled vainly.  
 No other light my eye could see.

GEORGE  
 I'll follow Thee, of life the Giver;  
 I'll follow Thee, of life the Giver;  
 I'll follow Thee, of life the Giver;  
 I'll follow Thee, of life the Giver.

I saw the poor, the maimed, the lowly,  
 Look upon Jesus' face and live;  
 I felt a wish to be made holy,  
 I knew that I should not be forgiven;  
 I heard His voice, "My peace I'll give."

I drew me near, the road was thorny,  
 And, wondrously, the cross was  
 there.  
 "Take up thy cross and follow Me,"  
 I knew His ear would hear my prayer;  
 And, past the thorns and through the fall,  
 I laid me low, I laid me low.

I heard His voice upon my ear,  
 "Take up thy cross and follow Me."  
 My heart is filled with joy and peace,  
 And all the while I'm following Thee.  
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## PROMOTED TO GLORY

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 The extract printed below is from  
 the letter last received by his parents  
 from Private John Moulton.



Private Moulton

who went overseas from Loo's  
 Cove. He was reported missing  
 a long time ago, and hope for  
 his escape from death has now been  
 abandoned. "Now," writes our  
 correspondent, "he has another brother  
 missing. He was saved and ready  
 to go."

"Don't trouble about me," wrote  
 our promoted comrade, "I am go-  
 ing with a good heart, and I hope  
 and pray God will spare me and  
 bring me back safe to you again, if  
 it is His will. If not, I will meet you  
 where there will be no parting. I  
 have no much to tell you. All the  
 boys are well. I am delighted to be  
 out here to do my bit with the rest  
 of the brave boys. I do not fear  
 death, you know, mother. God be  
 with you till we meet again!"

Slater J. Warren, Grand Bank, N.B.

The death messenger has again  
 visited Grand Bank, N.B. and taken  
 from our midst Sister Mrs. James  
 Warren. She was a sufferer of  
 consumption for six months, but a  
 murmur never escaped her lips.  
 Every time the writer visited her  
 she was calm and peaceful. While  
 reading from God's Word one day I  
 asked her if there was any chapter  
 or verse she would like. She said  
 one verse had been her motto. She  
 mentioned the Psalm and it was this  
 verse: "One thing have I desired of  
 the Lord, that will I seek after, that  
 I may dwell in the house of the Lord  
 all the days of my life." She was a  
 Young People's Worker, and was  
 always ready to do anything to ad-  
 vance the Cause.

At the memorial service seven  
 souls got saved—one of them our  
 comrade's son. She leaves a  
 husband and three sons to mourn  
 her loss. May God comfort them in  
 their sorrow.—E. Brace.

Sister Mrs. Allan Phausu, Fortuno

Our comrade, after a long illness,  
 has been called to meet her God.  
 Her husband is left alone to mourn,  
 while a boy is overseas in France.

YOU HAVE ONLY ONE LIFE TO LIVE—  
 ARE YOU MAKING THE BEST USE OF IT?

## THE PRAYING LEAGUE

FIRST COMMUNION

By Mrs. Moulton  
 In our study  
 of the Bible, we  
 find the Duke of Connaught  
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 General of Canada—visited  
 recently. His programme  
 included visits to the aviation  
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Will Live Forever  
 You may be perfectly  
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 work, but your work  
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WAR RISK BONUS

The Australian Government have  
 decided to grant a war risk to all  
 women on ships owned or controlled  
 by the Government. Proportions  
 to high rates will be payable to  
 them in the danger zone.

## FOOD ECONOMY NEEDED

THE British Food Controller  
 stated at a meeting recently, that  
 the existing supplies of food in the  
 British Isles, whether home-grown  
 or imported, ought not to be taken  
 by the people as a guarantee of ab-  
 solute permanent security.

Economy of every kind was  
 so direct a contribution to shipping re-  
 sources, he pointed out, that waste  
 or even failure to make sacrifices  
 was at least a thoughtless offense  
 against the national safety. The  
 food difficulties of the world, Mr.  
 Clynes said, were increasing, de-  
 spite every effort to avoid them,  
 and Great Britain could not al-  
 together escape some share hereof.

The yield of the British harvest  
 this year, Mr. Clynes remarked,  
 would be a disappointment to Ger-  
 many.

NEW SWEET CLOVER  
 A CLOVER not previously known  
 to be in existence was isolated at  
 Ames, Iowa, last year, and is at-  
 tracting a good deal of interest.

This is an annual white sweet  
 clover, which to three and a half  
 months from seeding has made a  
 growth of four and a half feet,  
 producing a heavy crop of seed as  
 well as foliage.

While a number of varieties of  
 sweet clover have been identified in  
 Europe, only one species which is an  
 annual has been known. This is the  
 annual yellow sweet clover, Melilotus  
 indica. This new clover is inter-  
 esting primarily because it is im-  
 possible to understand what its  
 value as a green manure crop, al-  
 though it will no doubt be valuable  
 for hay and pasture.

FLIGHT OF BIRDS  
 The present war many aviators  
 have made notes of the heights at  
 which they have flown. The obser-  
 vations of a French aviator  
 officer disclose an evident pre-  
 sence of swallows for a height of  
 10,000 feet, but other birds  
 higher, and last March he re-  
 corded six thousand five hundred  
 feet as the greatest altitude at which  
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## FIRE PROTECTION

FOR the purpose of forming a  
 Provincial Fire Protection Leagu-  
 e to direct an efficient and com-  
 prehensive campaign to reduce fire



Benefited by the Fresh-Air Camp

This mother, with seven children of her own and two of a neighbour who is  
 in hospital, has just had a fortnight's stay at Jackson's Park. Last year a family  
 of nine, and so much benefit did they receive that a doctor who knows  
 them said, "It was a miracle that they could have come through the winter  
 which had not been for the strengthening and rebuilding of constitution  
 of last winter. A study of the photo will show that the younger members of the  
 family, who have had the advantage of going to the Camp in their summer days,  
 are much sturdier in build than the older. Every city child ought to have an  
 opportunity to have a change to contribute in the summer."

losses in Ontario, a meeting is being  
 called in the near future at the Par-  
 liament Buildings (Toronto).  
 Sir William Hearst, who has tak-  
 en the matter up, is inviting the  
 attendance of representatives of all  
 the organizations most vitally inter-  
 ested in the matter. The meeting will  
 be for the proper observance of Oc-  
 tober 5th as Fire Prevention Day, a  
 date which has been adopted by  
 general consent for this purpose  
 throughout North America.

ENJOY MANY COMFORTS  
 CARING for Canadian soldiers in-  
 tered in Holland and seeking to  
 better their conditions of life there  
 is not the least successful of that  
 class of Canadian Red Cross work.

One Canadian prisoner of war,  
 writing to Toronto recently, tells of  
 being billeted in one of the most  
 beautiful barracks ever seen, fitted  
 with every modern convenience,  
 new beds with white blankets, pil-  
 lows and pillow cases, gas-heated  
 bath tubs, gas ranges, at which the  
 men can do any extra cooking, also  
 writing room and library. Best of  
 all, the soldier writes, "We can go  
 where we like from 2 p.m. till 10.30  
 p.m., and later if desired. It is im-  
 possible to understand what this  
 means to us poor fellows after our  
 long time in the prison camps of the  
 enemy and hisimps."

THE traffic congestion has been  
 immeasurably lessened since this  
 time a year ago and prospects at  
 the present time are that there will  
 be a larger and better train service  
 from all points to Toronto and  
 return.

FROGS AND THEIR EGGS  
 IN the many "deserted" mud  
 eggs many species of frogs ex-  
 hibit remarkable peculiarities. One  
 of the most curious, a tree frog,  
 native of Farquary, makes its nest  
 in a bush overhanging a pond. The  
 lower ends of a number of leaves  
 are drawn together and fixed in that  
 position by a number of empty egg  
 capsules. The eggs are also cov-  
 ered with a shield of empty capsules,  
 to protect them from the sun and  
 air. When the eggs are hatched the  
 plug at the bottom appears to fall  
 out and the tadpoles tumble into  
 the water.

POINTED QUESTIONS  
 Has sorrow caused you to murmur against God?  
 Do you find that the giving up of faith makes you feel  
 any better about your loss?  
 Why not take refuge in God's precious promises?  
 (See "Comfort in Bereavement"—Page 2)

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# Our Serial Story THE RED THREAD

By S. A. Kirkham, Author of "Winning Out," "A Maltese Romance," "A Vagabond's Vagabond," etc., etc.

## Summary of Previous Chapters

It broke out at midnight in the street of St. John's, in London, when a man named Jacob, who had been arrested by the police, was being taken to the prison. He was a Jew, and his name was Jacob. He was a man of about thirty years of age, and he was a man of great energy and determination. He was a man who had been in the army, and he had been in the army for a long time. He was a man who had been in the army, and he had been in the army for a long time. He was a man who had been in the army, and he had been in the army for a long time.

for Jacob. His father was rather cross at him for "distressing" so much precious time in chasing "Archie," as he was called, instead of applying himself diligently to the task of expanding the business of Goldstein & Co. He decided, therefore, instead of giving him back his former position of travelling salesman, to keep him at the head office.

**Disturbing Element**  
Now Jacob, as we have seen, had a temper which often got completely out of control.



"What do you think of that?"

## CHAPTER IX. ON 'CHANGE

### CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued)

"At length Jacob found a suitable opportunity of cherishing his love. It was at a garden party and he suggested to Miriam to walk into a secluded position of the grounds, saying that he had something important to tell her. The girl, no doubt, divined his intentions, and was therefore in no manner prepared for his proposal. What sudden break out of commonplace conversation and his plunge into the subject which so much occupied his heart. "Miss Armstrong," he said somewhat abruptly, "for a long time past I have deeply admired you and I want to ask you now if you will marry me."

"Oh—ah!" was all that Miriam was able to utter. Jacob hardly knew what to say next, and the silence grew painful. "So he made another attempt."

"I have loved you ever since that first time my sister brought you to our home," he said; "and I have wanted to hope that you reciprocated my affection. Is it so, Miriam?"

"I think it is—that is to say—why, yes, Jacob!" replied the girl.

"And you will be my wife, Miriam?" asked the eager young man.

"Yes, Jacob," was the reply.

And that is how Jacob proposed and was accepted. He went home from the garden party highly elated and at once informed his mother of his good fortune.

"Ah, what a grand wedding it will be," she exclaimed; "all our acquaintances will turn green with envy! How I have longed for such a time to come. To see my child so well married is the greatest satisfaction of my life. Jacob, you are a good son, you have brought me great joy."

### True Love Match

In fairness to Jacob we must say that his mother in Jacob was the hand of the rich Miss Armstrong was far from marvellous. He really felt a strong affection towards her. She was a woman who had been a woman for a long time, and she was a woman who had been a woman for a long time.

Next day, Mr. Goldstein had a very serious interview with his son in which he told him that the firm had decided to discontinue his services.

"I am very sorry that this has happened," said Jacob, his voice shaking with emotion. "I had hoped to see the day when you, my boy, and my partner were forcing my hand, and my either he or you must go. To discontinue my partnership of this time would spell ruin for me, so I am so often over you but for you to get up in business for yourself, for I think things over, Jacob, and decide what you will do."

In this dilemma Jacob straightaway took himself to his prospective father-in-law, Mr. Armstrong, and asked for his advice, secretly hoping that the old gentleman would offer him a good bill to take

over him. He did not tell him why he had left his father's firm, but let it be understood that he was seeking a wider sphere for the employment of his abilities. The outcome of this interview, however, was that Mr. Armstrong advised Jacob to become a stockbroker, promising to do all in his power to advance his interests. Accordingly the name of Jacob Goldstein was entered on the list of the members of the London Stock Exchange, and he entered upon a career within the walls of this home of "bulls" and "bears."

**Surprising Fortune**  
One morning, upon reading his telegram, Jacob was amazed to find that he had been elected a member of the London Stock Exchange. He was a man of great energy and determination, and he was a man who had been in the army, and he had been in the army for a long time. He was a man who had been in the army, and he had been in the army for a long time.

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August 31, 1918

## THE WAR CRY

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## An Easy and Interesting Competition

### FOR OFFICERS, CORPS CORRESPONDENTS, AND WRITERS

THE underlying idea of the Canadian Christmas "War Cry" for this year is to show in concrete manner how intimately The Salvation Army is associated with the life of the people.

Our Local Officers and Soldiers, men and women alike, are to be found working in every branch of industry one can name that is consistent with Salvationism.

We want for the Christmas "War Cry" as many typical instances as we can crowd into its pages, and in order to encourage the gathering of the pictures and information we desire, are offering \$20 in prizes as set out below:

(1) PRIZES OF \$5, \$3, and \$2 for the three best sets of six or more photos in uniform of Local Officers or soldiers of any one Corps, with particulars of (a) Conversion, (b) their daily work, and (c) their worth in the Corps. Additional photos of such comrades at their daily employment will gain "marks" in the adjudication.

(2) PRIZES OF \$3, \$2, and \$1 for the three best sets of three, four, or five.

(3) PRIZES OF \$2, \$1.50, and 50c for the best single instance, or set of two.

The Competition is open to all Officers, Local Officers, and Soldiers throughout both Territories. Each set must be made from one Corps. Variety of occupation represented will be advantageous.

All entries for the Competition must reach the Editor by Saturday, September 14th. The Editor's decision will be final, and all entries, whether awarded a prize or not, will be the property of "The War Cry," to be used in any way desired. The definition of "best" will be "that most suitable for use in the Christmas Number." No one connected in any way with the Editorial Department will be allowed to compete.

## PARAGRAPHETTES

### PERSONAL AND NEWSPAPER

(Continued from Page 14) suffering a good deal of pain. Prayers are requested on his behalf.

The programme in connection with the opening of the Military Hospital is likely to be an interesting affair. Brigadier-General Keegan will be the chief speaker. Other speakers will be Major Graham, the Senior Chaplain for the military district, the Officer in charge of the Tanso Convalescent Hospital, and Dr. Randome, of Broadway Methodist Church, besides many others.

Commandant and Mrs. Belcher report a splendid week-end at No. 1, Citadel. At the Sunday night meeting fifteen souls were at the Mary Bask.

The welcome to the new Cadets takes place on Thursday, September 26th, at the No. 1, Citadel. Brigadier and Mrs. Phillips are naturally busy making preparations for the receiving of the Cadets. This Borden province is the last to be organized. Wholly white travellers from Winnipeg, London, September 1st, prior to sailing from Vancouver for India at last date.

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## TRADE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Price List of Uniform for Men Officers and Soldiers

No.	Price	No.	Price
Cloth No. 1.	\$37.50	Cloth No. 10.	\$37.50
Cloth No. 2.	34.50	Cloth No. 11.	34.50
Cloth No. 3.	31.50	Cloth No. 12.	31.50
Cloth No. 4.	28.50	Cloth No. 13.	28.50
Cloth No. 5.	25.50	Cloth No. 14.	25.50
Cloth No. 6.	22.50	Cloth No. 15.	22.50
Cloth No. 7.	19.50	Cloth No. 16.	19.50
Cloth No. 8.	16.50	Cloth No. 17.	16.50
Cloth No. 9.	13.50	Cloth No. 18.	13.50
Cloth No. 10.	10.50	Cloth No. 19.	10.50
Cloth No. 11.	7.50	Cloth No. 20.	7.50
Cloth No. 12.	4.50	Cloth No. 21.	4.50
Cloth No. 13.	1.50	Cloth No. 22.	1.50

### Price List of Band Suits—Unlined

No.	Price	No.	Price
No. 5.	\$34.75	No. 10.	\$34.75
No. 6.	31.75	No. 11.	31.75
No. 7.	28.75	No. 12.	28.75
No. 8.	25.75	No. 13.	25.75
No. 9.	22.75	No. 14.	22.75
No. 10.	19.75	No. 15.	19.75
No. 11.	16.75	No. 16.	16.75
No. 12.	13.75	No. 17.	13.75
No. 13.	10.75	No. 18.	10.75
No. 14.	7.75	No. 19.	7.75
No. 15.	4.75	No. 20.	4.75

Ten per cent discount allowed on Band Suit, but not on Trimmings

### Special Prices of Overcoats (Net)

Do not neglect to order one of these Overcoats. Attention is called to the "Beaver No. 1"—this is special value and is selling very fast.

Price	Price
Beaver No. 1.	\$25.00
Beaver No. 2.	22.00
Beaver No. 3.	19.00
Beaver No. 4.	16.00
Beaver No. 5.	13.00
Beaver No. 6.	10.00
Beaver No. 7.	7.00
Beaver No. 8.	4.00

### Prices of L.-S. Scout Leaders' Suits (Net)

Price	Price
Scout Leader's Suit.	\$19.00
Scout Leader's Suit.	16.00
Scout Leader's Suit.	13.00
Scout Leader's Suit.	10.00
Scout Leader's Suit.	7.00
Scout Leader's Suit.	4.00

### Women's Dresses and Speaker Suits (Net)

The work of this Department is giving excellent satisfaction. You will make no mistake in placing your order with us for one of these good Dress or Speaker Suits—DO IT NOW!

Price	Price
Speaker Suit.	\$34.00
Speaker Suit.	31.00
Speaker Suit.	28.00
Speaker Suit.	25.00
Speaker Suit.	22.00
Speaker Suit.	19.00
Speaker Suit.	16.00
Speaker Suit.	13.00
Speaker Suit.	10.00
Speaker Suit.	7.00
Speaker Suit.	4.00

Special situation given to the making of Band Suits for Soldiers and Friends. Fit and workmanship will give every satisfaction.

ADDRESS: Trade Secretary, Salvation Army Headquarters, James and Albert Sts., Toronto



## WE ARE Looking For You

It's well worth the trouble to see how far the globe has been explored. It's well worth the trouble to see how far the globe has been explored. It's well worth the trouble to see how far the globe has been explored.

JOSEPH MCILLAN (1884). Age 42. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

JOHN HENRY REWELL (1881). Age 37. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

RAFAEL GEORGE DUNFORD (1884). Came to Canada in 1910. Last heard of in 1911. Mother in England enquires.

JOHN CHESTER (1884). Last heard of in Ontario, two years ago. Last heard of in Ontario, two years ago. Last heard of in Ontario, two years ago.

JAMES JAMISON (1884). Wanted: information of James Jamison, or James Jamison, who sailed to Canada, thirty-seven years ago. Was last heard of in the neighborhood of Toronto, where he had a farm. Age 40. Last seen about twenty-four hours. Last seen about twenty-four hours. Last seen about twenty-four hours.

RICHARD WILLIAM BELLIS (1884). Age 35. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

JOHN AMOS (1884). Age 41. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

DENNIS MALONE (1884). Age 35. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

ALBERT HODGES (1884). Age 41. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

WALTER M. A. GUNUS LILJEBLOM (1884). Norwegian, age 35. Medium build. Dark eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

JAMES IRVING (1884). English. Age about 35. Dark hair and eyes. Last known to be at Montreal. Wanted in England enquires.

MRS. JOHN TENSER or JOHNSON (1884). Last seen in Toronto. Last seen in Toronto. Last seen in Toronto.

CHARLES EDWARD BLAND (1884). Age 41. Height 5 ft. 10 in. Blue eyes. Dark brown hair. Married by trade. Missing since February, 1917. Wanted in connection with winding up of estate. Daughter in New Zealand enquires.

MRS. TED MANN (1884). Last seen in Toronto. Last seen in Toronto. Last seen in Toronto.

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Will be held under the leadership of  
**COMMISSIONER RICHARDS**

at the following places—

**HALIFAX—WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9, TO SUNDAY, 13**  
**KINGSTON—WEDNESDAY, OCT. 16, TO SUNDAY, 20**  
**LONDON—WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23, TO SUNDAY, 27**  
**TORONTO—WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30, TO MONDAY, NOV. 4**

Further particulars will be given later. Pray that God's richest blessing may be upon these Meetings.

## SONGS OF SALVATION

**HIS BOUNDLESS LOVE**  
Tunes—True Salvation, 110; Blessed Love, 38.

Boundless as the mighty ocean,  
Rolling on from pole to pole,  
Is the boundless love of Jesus  
To the weary, sinful soul—

Boundless mercy,  
Making guilty sinners whole.

Boundless as the starry heavens,  
Filled with fiery orbs of light,  
Are the promises of Jesus  
For the soul in nature's night—

Ever shining,  
Till our faith is changed to sight.

Boundless as eternal ages,  
As the air we breathe, as free,  
Is the boundless, full Salvation  
Jesus purchased on the tree—

Boundless cleansing,  
From all sin's impurity.

**A CROSS FOR ALL**  
Tune—Marcheter, 47; I am clinging

Must Jesus bear the cross alone,  
And all the world go free?  
No, there's a cross for every one,  
And there's a cross for me

Chorus  
I am clinging to the cross!

The consecrated cross I'll wear  
Till death shall set me free;  
And then go home my crown to wear,  
For there's a crown for me

Upon the crystal pavement, down  
Joyful I'll cast my golden crown,  
And hills dear name repeat—

O glorious cross! O glorious crown!  
O resurrection day!  
Ye angels, from the heavens come,  
And bear my soul away. (down)

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**HE WAS FOUND WORTHY**  
Tune—He was found worthy, 110; Blessed Love, 38.

When none was found to ransom  
He was found worthy!  
To set a world of sinners free,  
He was found worthy!

Chorus  
Oh, the bleeding Lamb!  
He was found worthy!

To take the book and loose the seal,  
To bruise the head that bruised  
His heel.

To open wide the gates of Heaven;  
To Him all majesty is given.

His Blood has washed me white as snow,  
And all His fulness I shall know.

**A FRIEND IN JESUS**  
Tune—The Lily of the Valley, 280; Song Book, 287.

I've found a Friend in Jesus,  
He's everything to me;  
He's the fairest of ten thousand to  
The Lily of the Valley, (my soul);  
In Him alone I see (fully whole);  
All I need to cleanse and make me  
In sorrow He's my Comfort,  
In trouble He's my Stay, (roll,  
He tells me every care on Him to

He'll all my griefs has taken,  
And all my sorrows borne;  
In temptation He's my Strong and  
Mighty Tower!

I've all for Him forsaken,  
I've all my idols torn  
From my heart, and now He keeps  
me by His power.

Though all the world forsake me,  
And Satan tempt me sore,  
Through Jesus I shall safely reach  
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Installation of Lippincott  
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